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OF IMPREGNATING SAME WITH PHARMACOLOGICAL AGENTS

Date: May 6, 2008

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## NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Sir:

Pursu	ant to 35 USC $\S$ 134, 37 CFR $\S$ 41.31, and MPEP $\S$ 1205, the Applicant in the
above-identif	ied patent application hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and
Interferences from the Office Action dated February 12, 2008 and the Advisory Action dated	
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	Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ for the Appeal fee as
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the amount of	f \$510.00 for the Appeal fee and any additional fees that may be required or
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